

Hebrew Samaritan Script with East-Syriac Reading

Script	East-Syriac Reading	Transliteration Value	Numerical Value
א	’ālapā	‘	1
ב	bēt	b	2
ג	gāmal	g	3
ד	dālat <u>d</u>	d	4
ה	hē	h	5
ו	wāw	w	6
ז	zay(n)	z	7
ח	ḥēt	ḥ	8
ט	ṭēt	ṭ	9
י	yō/ūd	y	10
כ	kāp	k	20
ל	lāmad	l	30
מ	mīm	m	40
נ	nūn	n	50
ס	semkat <u>t</u>	s	60
כ	‘ē	‘	70
פ	pē	p	80
ש	ṣādē	ṣ	90
ק	qōp	q	100
ר	rēš	r	200
ס	šīn	š	300
ת	taw	t	400

**Author:** Ashur Cherry  
York University  
**Title:** *Hebrew Samaritan Script  
with East-Syriac Reading*  
**Publisher:** Toronto, Ontario  
**Copyright:** 2021  
**Ref. No.:** 4640

### **References**

Daniels, Peter T. and William Bright. (Editors) **The World's Writing Systems**.  
New York: Oxford University Press, ©1996. p. 490.

Diringer, David. "Development of early Hebrew alphabet." **The Alphabet: A Key to the History of Mankind**. Third Edition. Volume 2. London: Hutchinson,  
©1968. p. 161.

Hetzron, Robert. (Editor) **The Semitic Languages**. New York: Routledge, ©1997. p. 35.

### **Dedication**

I dedicate this work in memory of **His Holiness Mar Dinkha IV**, Catholicos-Patriarch of *The Assyrian Church of the East*, Sunday, September 15, 1935 – Thursday, March 26, 2015, with love, respect, and appreciation.